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C O N F I D E N T I A L BELGRADE 9105

FOR EUR/RPM AND EUR/SOV FROM USDEL CSCE

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: CSCE, OCON
SUBJECT: BELGRADE CSCE (CBMS): ALLIED MARK-UP OF NNA DISARMAMENT
TEXT

REF: A) STATE 299022; B) BELGRADE 8838

1. ALLIED CBMS CAUCUS DECEMBER 21 DISCUSSED REVISION OF
NNA DISARMAMENT TEXT WHICH WAS CIRCULATED FOR CONSIDERATION
IN CAUCUS AFTER RECEIPT OF INITIAL COMMENTS FROM CAPITALS
(REF A). US DEL REPORTED SUGGESTIONS REF B AND OTHER
DELS HAD MINOR AMENDMENTS TO SUGGEST.

2. NEW COMPOSITE ALLIED MARK-UP OF NNA TEXT IS GIVEN IN
PARA 4 BELOW. FRENCH REP UNFORTUNATELY WAS NOT PRESENT
FOR DISCUSSION. BRACKETS AROUND FIRST TWO PARAGRPPHS
REPRESENT EARLIER FRENCH OBJECTION TO THOSE PARAGRAPHS
AS ORIGINALLY DRAFTED BY NNAS; WHETHER CHANGES INTRO-
DUCED BY OTHER ALLIES WILL MAKE THESE PARAGRAPHS
MORE PALATABLE TO FRANCE REMAINS TO BE SEEN. PHRASE
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IN FIRST PARAGRAPH, "EACH OF THEM...IN THIS PROCESS,"
HAS BEEN BRACKETED AT FRG REQUEST.. BONN DOES NOT
REJECT THIS LANGUAGE BUT SEES IT AS POSSIBLY DISCRIM-
INATORY AND WOULD PREFER TO HAVE IT LEFT OUT.

3. IT WAS AGREED POSSIBLE FALLBACK LANGUAGE ON WORLD
DISARMAMENT CONFERENCE SHOULD BE KEPT DEEP IN ALLIED

POCKETS AND NOT INDICATED EVEN IN CAUCUS WORKING PAPER.

4. NEW ALLIED REVISION OF OPERATIVE PORTIONS OF NNA
DISARMAMENT TEXT.

BEGIN TEXT:

CONSIDER THAT IT IS OF THE UTMOST IMPORTANCE AND
URGENCY FOR ALL PARTICIPATING STATES, (EACH OF THEM IN
ACCORDANCE WITH THE PLACE AND ROLE THEY HAVE IN THIS
PROCESS,) TO TAKE EFFECTIVE STEPS TOWARDS HALTING THE
ARMS RACE AND FURTHER ONGOING EFFORTS IN NEGOTIATING
FORA RELATED TO ARMS LIMITATION AND DISARMAMENT;

CONSIDER THAT USEFUL STEPS TOWARDS THESE OBJECTIVES
SHOULD BE TAKEN TO ESTABLISH MORE STABLE RELATIONS ON
A REGIONAL BASIS, IN PARTICULAR IN EUROPE, WHERE MAJOR
MILITARY POTENTIALS ARE CONCENTRATED;

DECLARE THEIR INTENTION

-TO ENCOURAGE MULTILATERAL DISARMAMENT MEASURES,
UNDER STRICT AND EFFECTIVE INTERNATIONAL CONTROL, BOTH
IN THE UNITED NATIONS AND IN THOSE FORA DEALING WITH
DISARMAMENT WHICH REPORT TO IT.

-TO GIVE THEIR FULL SUPPORT TO THE SPECIAL SESSION
OF THE UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY ON DISARMAMENT
TO BE HELD IN 1978, IN ORDER THAT IT MAY LEAD TO
POSITIVE RESULTS AND FURTHER ENCOURAGE THE PROCESS OF
DISARMAMENT.

CONVEY/EXPRESS TO THOSE ENGAGED IN THE RELEVANT
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FORA THE SENSE OF URGENCY FELT BY THE BELGRADE MEETING
CONCERNING THE NEED TO ACHIEVE PROGRESS IN THE FIELD
OF ARMS LIMITATION AND DISARMAMENT.

END TEXT.

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